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Sir:

On August 28, 2002, applicants submitted a combined Declaration and Power of Attorney of the inventors for the above-identified application. The Declaration and Power of Attorney was a facsimile version because the document bearing the inventors original signatures had not been received prior to the deadline for filing the Declaration. Applicants also paid the \$130.00 surcharge fee for filing the Declaration after 30 months from the priority date.

Attached is the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney bearing the original signatures of the inventors. Please substitute the attached document for the facsimile document submitted previously.

Respectfully submitted,  
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